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### UM FILM SERIES TO FOCUS ON PROMINENT AMERICANS

"American Profiles," a nine-part film series focusing on prominent Americans of the 20th century, will be offered free to the public on Tuesday evenings this fall at the University of Montana, beginning Oct. 5.

UM faculty members will introduce the hour-long biographical films, whose subjects include humorist Will Rogers, scientists Albert Einstein and J. Robert Oppenheimer, anthropologist Margaret Mead, novelist Ernest Hemingway, politician Joseph McCarthy, journalist I.F. Stone and poet Richard Hugo.

The first film, "Will Rogers' 1920s: A Cowboy's Guide to the Times," is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 5, in the new underground lecture hall adjacent to the Journalism Building. Jesse Bier, professor of English and the author of a book about American humor, will introduce the film.

Charles E. Hood, acting dean of the School of Journalism, and Devon Chandler, director of the Instructional Materials Services, prepared the film series, which is sponsored by IMS, the UM Friends of the Library and the Montana Committee for the Humanities.

The other films, which also will be shown at 7:30 p.m. in the underground lecture hall, include:

"Albert Einstein: The Education of a Genius," introduced by Keith Yale, professor of mathematics, Oct. 12.

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"Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.: An Amazing Grace," introduced by  
Ulysses Doss, professor of humanities, Oct. 19.

"Reflections: Margaret Mead," introduced by Katherine Weist, professor  
of anthropology, Oct. 26.

"Hemingway," introduced by Gerry Brenner, professor of English, Nov. 9.

"The Day After Trinity: J. Robert Oppenheimer and the Atomic Bomb,"  
introduced by Leonard Porter, professor of physics, Nov. 16.

"An American Ism: Joe McCarthy," introduced by William Evans, professor  
of history, Nov. 23.

"I.F. Stone's Weekly," introduced by Robert C. McGiffert, professor of  
journalism, Nov. 30.

"Kicking the loose Gravel Home," (Richard Hugo), introduced by Rick  
DeMarinis, writer-in-residence, Department of English, Dec. 7.

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